UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

R.S BASSMAN, Derivatively on Behalf of FREDDIE MAC a/k/a Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation and its shareholders,

Plaintiff.

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Defendants,

And

FREDDIE MAC a/k/a Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation,

Nominal

Defendant

ECF CASE

Case No.: 08-CV-02423 (BSJ)(JCF)

DEFENDANT PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP'S JOINDER TO MOTION TO TRANSFER VENUE OR, ALTERNATIVELY STAY THE **PROCEEDINGS**

For the reasons set forth in Freddie Mac's Memorandum of Law in Support of Its Motion to Transfer Venue or, in the Alternative, Stay the Proceedings, filed on June 16, 2008 (Docket No. 14), Defendant PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP hereby joins the request that this action be transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia or, in the alternative, stayed pending the completion of the investigation being conducted by the Special Litigation Committee formed by Freddie Mac's Board of Directors.

Dated: Washington, DC July 7, 2008 ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the following is true and correct:

On July 7, 2008, I caused the foregoing **DEFENDANT PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP'S JOINDER TO MOTION TO TRANSFER VENUE OR, ALTERNATIVELY STAY THE PROCEEDINGS** to be served upon the following individuals by first class mail, postage paid by sender:

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